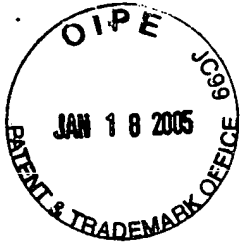


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In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2004, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Amendment to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper, and include an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawings figures is attached following page 15 of this paper.